(*c*) whether they are aware that there are wide areas of wet lands inside the reserved forests that border and lie in places where malaria is prevalent now; and

(*d*) whether they are aware that the existence and out-break of malaria in the Nedumangad, Neyyattinkara and Kottarakara taluks are due to the presence of wide areas of wet lands inside the reserved forests and mosquito breeding therein?

RAO SAHIB DR. N. KUNJAN PILLAI (*Chief Secretary to Government*):

(*a*) Yes.

(*b*) Yes. Some of the *pakuthies*.

(*c*) No.

(*d*) No.

Malaria hospitals in Nedumangad.

177. ❋ **MR. S. J. NAIR** (*Nedumangad*) : Will the Government be pleased to state:

(*a*) whether they are aware that patients suffering from complicated cases of malaria are alone admitted in the temporary malaria hospitals at Palode, Vidura and Arianad;

(*b*) on what date the Government ordered malaria patients being admitted in the above hospitals and on what exact date or dates the patients were actually admitted in those hospitals;

(*c*) when the construction of sheds was completed by the P.W.D. and the sheds were handed over to the Medical Department for admitting the patients; and

(*d*) when the malaria patients were admitted in the hospitals in Neyyattinkara?

RAO SAHIB DR. N. KUNJAN PILLAI (*Chief Secretary to Government*):

(*a*) No.

(*b*) There was no order of Government with regard to the date of admission of patients in the temporary hospitals referred to by the member. Admission was begun on the 7th Kanni 1111 at Arianad, on the 17th at Palode and on the 20th at Vidura.

(*c*) The shed at Palode was handed over to the Medical Department on the 2nd Kanni and those at Arianad and Vidura on the 7th Kanni 1111.

(*d*) *Name of hospital.*		*Date of Admission.*
Chembur	...	24-1-1111
Ottasekharamangalam	...	18-1-1111
Perumkadavila	...	18-1-1111
Kunnathukal	...	21-1-1111
Maranallur	...	24-1-1111
Kallikad	...	22-1-1111

Building for Pallikkal Anchal Office.

178. ❋ **MR. A. S. DAMODARAN ASAN** (*Mavelikara*) : Will the Government be pleased to state:

(*a*) whether there is a proposal to put up a building at Government cost on a Government site for the Pallikkal Anchal Office in the Mavelikara Taluk;

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(*b*) if the answer to part (*a*) is in the affirmative whether the Revenue Department has been directed to transfer a particular site to the Anchal Department for that purpose and

(*c*) if the answer to part (*b*) is in the affirmative the further steps taken with regard to the same ?

MR. T. C. THOMMEN (*Secretary to Government*) : (*a*) and (*b*) Yes.

(*c*) Funds have not been peovided for the purpose in the Budget and hence no further action has been taken.

Appointments and promotions in the Anchal Department.

179. ❋ **MR. T. P. VELAYUDHAN PILLAI** (*Tiruvalla III*) : Will the Government be pleased to state :

(*a*) whether the present Anchal Superintendent has submitted any report to Government regarding the irregularities and illegalities committed by the present Registration Director when he was the Anchal Superintendent, in the matter of appointments and promotions ;

(*b*) the action taken by Government on such report ; and

(*c*) such appointments and promotions cancelled by Government ?

MR. T. C. THOMMEN (*Secretary to Government*) : (*a*) Yes.

(*a*) The matter was enquired into.

(*c*) Eight S. P. T. appointments made by Mr. Mathew were cancelled.

Head of Department convicted in Criminal Case.

180. ❋ **MR. T. P. VELAYUDHAN PILLAI** (*Tiruvalla III*) : Will the Government be pleased to state :

(*a*) whether there is any Head of Department in Government service at present who was convicted in any criminal case ;

(*b*) if any, the name of such officer ; and

(*c*) the action taken by Government against that officer on such conviction ?

RAO SAHIB DR. N. KUNJAN PILLAI (*Chief Secretary to Government*) :

(*a*) Yes.

(*b*) Mr. E. I. Mathew, B. A., Director of Registration.

(*c*) As the offence for which Mr. Mathew was convicted did not involve moral turpitude, no action was taken against him by Government.

The Director of Registration.

181. ❋ **MR. T. P. VELAYUDHAN PILLAI** (*Tiruvalla III*) : Will the Government be pleased to state :

(*a*) whether the present Director of Registration was convicted in any criminal case ; and

(*b*) the action taken by Government against him on such conviction ?

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